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SUBJECT: US-USSR HOUSING AGREEMENT: US SPECIALISTS ASSUR AND MELLOR
VISIT TO USSR (10.05)

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1. GOSSTROY PROVIDED SCIENCE OFFICE ON JUNE 3 WITH IVANOV
RESPONSE TO KIRKLAND LETTER CONTAINED REFTEL. IVANOV LETTER
BEING POUCHED TO HUD VIA EUR/SOV/EXCHANGES UNDER REGISTRY
3583885. INFORMAL SCIENCE OFFICE TRANSLATION PROVIDED BELOW.

2. QUOTE. DEAR MR. KIRKLAND:
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AGREEMENT MADE AT THE WORKING GROUP
(10.05) MEETING IN WASHINGTON IN MARCH, AND IN CONNECTION WITH
YOUR LETTER OF MAY 12, I AM INFORMING YOU THAT THE SOVIET
SIDE IS PREPARED TO RECIEVE THE POST-GRADUATE STUDENTS, DR. ASSUR
AND DR. MELLOR, FROM JUNE 20 TO AUGUST 20 ON THE BASIS OF RECEIVING
SIDE PAYS.

DURING MR. DOUGLAS FREEMAN'S VISIT TO MOSCOW IN LATE MAY,
HE DISCUSSED WITH MR. TARENT'YEV THE ITINERARY FOR THESE POST-
GRADUATE STUDENTS. IN RESPONSE TO THE STUDENTS' REQUEST, I
AM SENDING YOU THE PROGRAM FOR THEIR VISIT:

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MOSCOW JUNE 20-26
LENINGRAD JUNE 27-JULY 10
TALLINN JULY 11-17
MINSK JULY 18-25
KIEV JULY 25-31
KHARKOV AUGUST 1-4
NOVOSIBIRSK AUGUST 5-11

MOSCOW AUGUST 12-20

WITH RESPECT TO THE VISIT TO THE USSR OF DR. MELLOR'S FAMILY,
WE ADVISE HIM THAT HE SHOULD BUY A TOUR THROUGH INTORUIST
FOR THEM FOR THE ABOVE ITINERARY.
PLEASE CONFIRM THE AMERICAN POST-GRADUATE STUDENTS ARRIVAL ON
THE AGREED DATE AND PROVIDE THEIR FLIGHT NUMBER.
SINCERELY, V.G. IVANOV END QUOTE

3. TARENT'YEV ADVISED THAT GOSSTROY CANNOT ARRANGE A VISIT TO
THE BAIKAL AMUR RAILROAD (BAM) FOR ASSUR BEFORE REPEAT
BEFORE NOVEMBER 1977. TARENT'YEV CLAIMED THAT HE HAD EXPLAINED
REASONS FOR THIS TO FREEMAN DURING HIS VISIT HERE IN MAY.
TARENT'YEV CONTIRMED TO SCIOFF THAT GOSSTROY WOULD SET UP
BAM VISIT FOR ASSUR IF HE CAME IN NOVEMBER AND TARENT'YEV
SUGGESTED INFORMALLY THAT WOULD BE THE BETTER COURSE OF
ACTION.

4. SCIOFF STRESSED TO TARENT'YEV THE EXPENSE INVOLVED
FOR MELLOR SHOULD HE DECIDE TO FOLLOW GOSSTROY SUGGESTION AND
BOOK HIS FAMILY HERE THROUGH INTOURIST. TARENT'YEV RESPONDED
THAT IT WAS TOO DIFFICULT FOR GOSSTROY TO INCLUDE MELLOR'S
WIFE AND CHILDREN ON THE ABOVE ITINERARY AND THEREFORE GOSSTROY
RECOMMENDS THAT HE ARRANGE THIS THROUGH INTOURIST.
TARENT'YEV ADDED THAT HE UNDERSTOOD THE FINANCIAL ASPECT BUT
THAT GOSSTROY COULD NOT MAKE THE NECESSARY ADDITIONAL
ARRANGEMENTS. TARENT'YEV AGREED TO PROVIDE SPECIFIC INFORMATION
ON TRAVEL AND HOTEL ARRANGEMENTS IN THE USSR TO AID MELLOR
BOOKING WITH INTOURIST IF MELLOR DECIDES TO BRING HIS FAMILY.
PLEASE ADVISE.
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AFTER THEIR ARRIVAL IN THE USSR.
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